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Dowie has satisfied his creditors that he can, in due course, meet their rithdrawn. In his Leaves of Healing Dowie attributes all his troubles to the newspapers, and calls them one of secured the services of F. H. Fowler the curses of the world, regardless of the fact that he publishes two at Fowler is now collecting a shipment heast which contain terms so scurrilous of apples for the first sailing of the that they would be denied a place in C. P. R. steamer on Jan. 4th. any decent newspaper. He seems also to have a vague idea that the Masonic craft is working against him. The press and the Masons, according to Dowie, are the agents of the Devil.

-We are in receipt of a circular letter from the Free Hospital for consumptives situated near Gravenhurst, of issue. Ont. The letter states that the sanhas become a neressity in order to carry on the work on the scale recarry on the work on the scale required by the demands of this season of the year. In the past three years, according to official record, deaths from consumption in Ontario have decreased by twenty-five per cent. The work of the Sanatarium Association has no doubt much to do with this decrease. Besides the actual work done at the institution its methods serve as at the institution its methods serve as an object lesson to the surrounding country. Patients are accepted from every part of the Dominion. Canada is fortunate in having this institution where the dreaded white plague is combated and conquered by modern scionce and we gladly second the appeal tion to the public for further financial assistance. Contributions may be sent to Sir. W. R. Meredith, Kt., Vice-President National Sanatarium Association, or Mr. W. J. Gage, Chairman of the Executive committee, Toronto, Can.

—The silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Marshall is seriously ill. Miss Louise Lawson, of Charlotte-town, who has been the guest of her sister Mrs. W. D. Lockett, for two months, returned home on Friday last.

Rev. G. Osborne Trans.

people of this province in the past | con_r_tulations.

still to the front and their agent is now making a business tour of the case must send their own name for now making a business tour of the Maritime Provinces. Realizing that the prospect of selling stock of any kind to the business men of the towns charged a cargo of coal for J. W. kind to the business men of the towns is slight indeed, his mission is to the well to do farmers, and many of our Beckwith here last week, experienced orchard owners supposed to be posse-sed of considerable returns will no the river. She grounded shortly after doubt be approached with offers of gilt edged investments in the near fugilt edged investments in the near future. Without passing an opinion as the mud of the bank a few rods farto the reliability of these concerns or ther down. On Saturday she was the profit likely to be derived from taken in charge by Capt. Longmire, investments in them, we would suggest to the farmer that he figure the together, and he will have a substantial argument with which to meet the

Christmas Charity Fund Concert.

A charming entertainment was given direction of the Misses Annie Kinney House on Thursday evening last. The program was varied and entertaining the admiration of all, both by the they acted the different roles assigned them, and by unconscious naivete and A'ex. Millett, of Clementsvale. simply grace, which is childhood's

The entire program was so delightful, that it is difficult to particularize. The baby drill and march brought down the house and kept it down to such an extent that the tots had difficulty in finishing their bedtime song, or at least in making it heard. The cartain was drawn twice on the final The comic song, "Under the Bumboo .Tree," was given with an effect that Reggie Chute and Hetty Troop, and

they were emphatically encored, as were also the three little misses, Mil-Edith Chute, who cleverly gave a character song, in costume, "Maiden for the I. C. R. as soon as they can en-Ruth." A motion song by five tiny gir's was given very sweetly and prettily. Stella Foster gave a reading, will be called in the near future to learn what concessions the ratepayers a most pleasing manar, showing un- will give an industry of this kind. If

string of silver bells The Nursery Maid's Drill and the Xmas Dialogue were excellently given by some of the older children, and the tableaux slowing some pretty scenes of childhood days were given with good e"ect, nor must mention of the chorusts, "The Mayflower," and the Goodnight Song, be omitted, in which the world of the C. A. Mr. Thompson is the youthful voices blended very sweetly. The accompaniments of Miss Lyda Munroe, rendered in her own ar-

tistic manner, added very largely to the evening's pleasure.

The young ladies having the affair in charge are receiving many enconiums of prais, and feel amily rewarded by the success of their efforts.

Considering the inclement weather and very bad walking the attendance was highly gratifying and the sum of forty-five dollars was realized. Out of this sum the necessary expenses, rent and lighting, \$8.00, piano and moving \$6.00, printing, \$3.00, and m nor incidental expenses, upwards of \$2.00, left the net sum of twenty-six dollars to be expended for gifts for needy children, to be distributed on Christmas Eve-Private contributions of \$1.35 have since been added to the fund.

C. A. will open on Christmas night at I awrencetown, when two teams from Bridgetown will play two Lawrence-town will play two Lawrence-town will be played on New Years afternoon, between two teams from Lawrencetown and two of the Bridgetown teams.

A number of gymnastic events will be given on New Year's afternoon in connection with the basket ball matches. An interesting program is leing arrangel for the evening, of which particulars will be given next v.e.k.

B. LOCKET

Local and Special News.

nday next by Rev. J. H. Stew--Reserved seat tickets for to-mor row evening's concert on sale at J.

W. Beckwith's. See program of concert disewhere in this issue. -The finder of a pair of wool shoes, Queen Streets Saturday morning, will oblige by leaving at this office.

-The C. P. R. Co., through their shipping agent, T. A. S DeWolfe, have as buying agent for this district. Mr.

-For the Christmas holidays the Dominion Atlantic Railway will issue excursion return tickets at single fare

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between all stations, from December

gains on his five, ten and fifte 22nd to January 1st inclusive, good to return until Jan. 4th, and to Boston from 19th Dec. to 26th Dec., good to return within 14 days from date

-Work on the Middleton & Victoria or six applications for admission per day, and that they are living up to their record of not having refused a to the Halifax & South Western road, patient because of his poverty. The where the nature of the soil makes demends on the finances of the institution are, however, heavy, and an ap- the clay of the Annapolis Valley. It peal to the public for contributions is expected that work will be resumed

-The turkey supper held in Roney's Hall, Granville Centre, Saturday even ing last, was a grand success. The sum of \$50.00 was realized by Seymour Division for the building fund for their new hall. The large crowd present enjoyed nct only the supper, but a general good time as well, being entertained with music, etc., during the convergence of the supper support of the supper suppe their new hall. The large crowd pres-

some difficulty in making her way down who piloted her safe'y to Annapolis.

-One of the fruit inspectors who profits that each individual tree in wa; in the city a few days ago, came his orchard is capable of producing under favorable circumstances, add them marked Northern Sty No. 1. The inspector thought it strange for man to have so many barrels of that vendor of India Rubber Stock, as well variety marked No. 1, so he had sevas a substantial reason why he had cral of them opened. The apples did much better invest, his money in his not turn out as marked, so the inown good, honest arr.s, then in some, spector put a new mark on them as to him, unknown spot, in distant Mex- follows: "falsely marked and falsely packed." In this way they were sen

forward.-Halifax Chronicle. -Messrs. Frank and John Bath and L. C. Berry arrived home from a successful moose hunt back of Clements-vale yesterday, bringing with them a very fine set of antlers, with a spread and Carolyn Piper, at the Court of 55 inches. Three moose in all were captured, their first success being a cow and calf, earlier in the week. throughout, and the little ones won The big fellow was captured unexpectthe admiration of all, both by the edly while the party was returning careful and painstaking way in which from the woods. The sports nen were accompanied by Crompton Millett and

> -Brenton, the eleven-year-old son of George A. Hoyt, of Bridgewater, was drowned on Saturday afternoon in Wlitman's rond. He and a number of other boys were skating on the pond, when Brenton got on thin ice, went by the current. His body was no trought to the surface until twenty minutes afterward and life was then extinct, although every effort was made by a physician to resuscitate him. The community was greatly shocked by the sad occurrence.

-A Digby special to a St. John ex change says: Two of our citizens have dred Eagleson, Louise Ruggles and he n promised the work of building a large their plant sufficiently for carrymistakable evidence of elecutionary talent. Nothing gave more pleasure than the delightful little character gin operations. Should Digby fail to song, "The Little New Year," sweetly ssist this enterprise the company sung by Dodo Lloyd, in a picturesque will likely start operations in Anna costume of white and gilt, with a polis.

Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Hugh B. Thompson, Secretary of the Truro Y. M. C. A, will be in

The Basket Bali League of the Y. M. Lyda Munroe, rendered in her own ar-tistic manner, added very largely to the evening's pleasure.

Special Bargain Locals.

-Dozen sweet oranges, 25c., at Mrs -25c. buys 5 ibs. of mixed candy at Chesley's.

-Cups and saucers from 5c. up C. L. Piggott's. -The finder of a pair of wool shoes, partly finished, lost on Granville or 25c., the best in town. -Read Sancton's adv. Presents from twenty-five cents up. —See the cream mixture, "Empire, R. Shipley is selling a 15c. -The best mixture in town, four lks.for 25c. at R. Shipley's.

-Don't Ifail to call and see Ches ley's large stock of tancy Xmas goods

-For oranges, raisins grapes, dates figs, nuts, candy, etc., try C. L. Pig -Call at Chesley:s and see the bar-

by the pound, at R. Shipley's. He sells them right. —Just received at W. W. Chesley's 1 crate of dinner sets, which he wil sell for \$5.50 and up.

-Best selection of lamps in town,

A ladies' shoe found on the street has been handed into this office, where it may be recovered by the owner. -Presents suitable for the little

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

to his house during the past week, with crysipelas in the face.

Executive committee, Toronto, Can.

Owing to the great depression of the stock market generally as well as to the many losses sustained by the poonle of this province in the past to the many losses sustained by the province of this province in the past to the many losses sustained by the poonle of this province in the past to the many losses sustained by the poonle of this province in the past to the many losses sustained by their friends. Miss Brooks was Mi people of this province in the past year very little attempt is now being made by stock Co. promoters or by brokers to effect sales of such securities.

The promoters of India Rubber Planstation stock, relying possibly on the elastic nature of their product, are still to the front and their agent is still to the front and their agent is communication and their agent is communication and their agent is communication and their agent is communications of the writer is unknown to us. Correspondents are at liberty to use any norm deplace they fancy, but in every case must send their own name for the week a letter signature, says the Chronicle, conveys the cheering news that Major R. J. Edward Leckie, who was scriously our rule to publish communications of any nature when the name of the writer is unknown to us. Correspondents are at liberty to use any norm deplace they fancy, but in every case from being snuffed out by a looper of the writer. It is contrary to our rule to publish communications of any nature when the name of the writer is unknown to us. Correspondents are at liberty to use any norm deplaced in an encounted with a leop-ard, will receive from G. H. Kirk-patrick, says the Chronicle, conveys the cheering news that Major R. J. Edward Leckie, who was scriously our rule to publish communications of any nature when the name of the writer is unknown to us. Correspondents are at liberty to use any norm deplaced in an encounted with a leop-ard, will receive from G. H. Kirk-patrick, says the Chronicle, conveys the cheering news that Major R. J. Edward Leckie, who was scriously our rule to publish communications of any nature when the name of the writer is unknown to us. Correspondents are at liberty to use any norm dentation the cheering news that Major R. J. Edward Leckie, who was scriously our rule to publish communications of the cheering news that Major R. J. Edward Leckie, who was scriously our rule to publish communications of the cheering news that Major R. J. Edward Leckie, who was scriously our rule to A letter received from G. H. Kirk

and was tracking him in the morning He shot him again, and thought had killed him. Leckie and I expect seil for England early in December. Program of Thursday Evening's Conecrt.

The following program will be ren dered at the concert in the Cour House to-morrow (Thursday) evening, in aid of the Baptist Church Organ Fund:

.-Piano duet-March, "Festival

Misses Jefferson and Munroe, .—Song.—"Out where the Billows Roll High," Petrie. Mr. H. L. Nowfin. 3.-Reading .- "The Addington Aque

et," selected.
Mrs. W. A. Warren. 4.—' Good-Bye,' Tosti.
Miss Beckwith. 5.—Sond.—"Thy Sentinel am I,"
Watson.
Mr. F. L. Schaffner.

INTERMISSION. 6.—Fiano Solo, selected. Mr. H. Bishop. 7.-Song.-"The Bridge," Lady Ca-

Mr. H. L. Nowlin. 8.—Reading.—"A Sisterly Scheme Bunner. Mrs. W. A. Warren. 9.—Song, selected.
Miss Munroe.

10.—Song.— Friar of Orgie's Crey,' Shield. Mr. F. L. Schaffner.

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NOTICE!

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